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: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ROUTING DATA OVER MULTIPLE WIRELESS NETWORKS

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- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
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Prior to the examination of the above-identified patent application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the claims as follows:

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